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President Taft Ends Visit to Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

STEERS CLEAR OF POLITICS

Hears Old-Fashioned Campaign Speech and Talks of Treaties.

Marquette, Mich., September 20.—President Taft, the first President of the United States to set foot on the shores of Lake Superior, ended his two-day visit to the upper peninsula of Michigan to-day, and to-night is retracing his line of travel from the North. He is due in Grand Rapids early to-morrow morning, and while there will deliver one of the most important speeches of the trip—a defense of the veto of the woolen, free list and cotton bills.

The President was plainly pleased with the warmth of his reception here. The atmosphere was surcharged with politics throughout the day, but Mr. Taft steered clear of the subject. His principal address was an appeal for public interest in and support of the general arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France. Mr. Taft listened, however, to a good, old-fashioned Republican campaign speech from Representative Young, in which the Congressman took occasion to make a few pointed remarks about different brands of progressiveness.

Senator Townsend, of Michigan, who accompanied the President, denounced Mr. Taft's critics as belonging generally to a class of "selfish politicians."

It was in introducing President Taft to an immense throng in a three-ring circus tent that Representative Young made his political address. He referred to Mr. Taft as having taken office at a time when constructive work was needed, and not a tearing down.

Cries of "ugh, angels weep," "He has been wretched, prudently and consistently progressive," said Mr. Young. "He is the greatest living representative of genuine constructive progressiveness. On the other hand, there is a spurious progressiveness at which angels laugh and angels weep."

Mr. Young praised the President for his veto of the statehood bills because of the judiciary recall, declaring that it was an act of courage and wisdom equal to Grant's veto of the inflation bill, and that it placed Mr. Taft in the very first rank of American statesmen and patriots.

Then the Congressman again denounced Mr. Taft's critics. He referred to the back-biting magazines, the self-slander and vituperation at it cents a copy, and to a class of "slippery, disloyal politicians."

The President, he said, was opposed by every demagogue and every "shifty politician." This fact, he declared, caused the President to be loved "for the enemies he has made."

"But the great American people are sound at the core," he concluded, "and while the shifty, slippery politicians and the demagogues may distrust the judgment of the people for a time, they will see right at last, and President Taft will stand in the glory of the noonday as the leading American statesman of his time, and historians will point with pride to the two terms of William Howard Taft as President of the United States."

When Mr. Taft arose to respond a man in the rear of the tent called out, "You're all right."

"I'm glad to be assured," laughed the President.

Doesn't Follow Lead. Mr. Taft did not follow Mr. Young's lead. He said he was somewhat embarrassed by the situation; that he had intended to tell Mr. Young's constituents what a good Congressman

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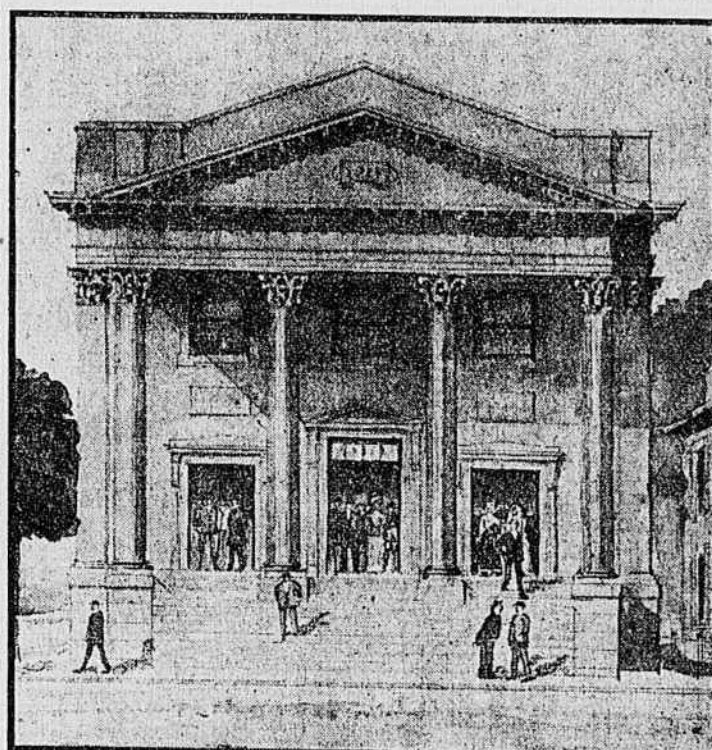
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he was, but was afraid to do so, lest some one charge that there had been a conspiracy of flattery and exchanges in advance. The President then launched into an explanation of the arbitration treaties. Senator Townsend listened intently to the President's address, and when he spoke later, pledged his support to the ratification of the pacts.

Mr. Taft said that one of his important missions on the present trip was to make the peace treaties more generally understood. He believed that while Mr. Taft's address was a peace address, a majority of the Senate proper is not.

He is very well satisfied with the fruits of his early missionary work, and with the interest his hearers have displayed in the subject of peace.

Senator Townsend praised the President for the work of his administration and declared that Mr. Taft was a statesman, not a politician.

President Taft also referred while here to the pending Nicaraguan and Honduran treaties, and urged their ratification by the Senate. The United States, he said, has a certain guardianship over the republics of Central America which it must not shirk.

TO LAY CORNER-STONE

Services To-Day Inaugurate New Westminster Presbyterian. The cornerstone of the new Westminster Presbyterian Church, corner of Davis and Park Avenues, will be laid this afternoon at 4:30. The address will be delivered by Governor W. H. Mann.

Services appropriate to the occasion will be conducted by several of the Westminster ministers of the city. Richmond Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M., of which Dr. James G. Fair, pastor of the church, is chaplain, will lay the stone with Masonic ceremonies.

UNION SEMINARY BEGINS SESSION

Dr. Rice Delivers Address. Undergraduates Nearly All Return.

Union Theological Seminary, Ginter Park, opened yesterday its 100th annual session with a large attendance of both old and new students. The opening address was made by Rev. Theron H. Rice, D. D., a member of the faculty. President Walter W. Moore introduced to the student body the newly elected professor, Rev. Walter L. Lingle, D. D., formerly past of the First Presbyterian Church, Atlanta, who assumes the chair of instruction in the Old Testament and lectures in Sunday school work.

During the summer vacation extensive improvements have been made to the buildings, including the furnishing of a gymnasium in the basement of Richmond College, and the usual equipment of shower baths and lockers.

Plans were announced for a special celebration at the close of this session in honor of the completion of the 100th annual session. The institution was founded in connection with Hampden-Sydney College, at Hampden-Sydney, Prince Edward county, by Rev. John D. Rice, D. D., in 1812.

Practically all of the two undergraduate classes of last year have returned. The following new students have been registered and secured rooms on the campus:

T. C. Bales, Davidson, N. C.; F. D. Thomas, Jr., New Orleans, La.; Graham Glimer, Draper, Va.; M. M. Gray, Davidson, N. C.; R. G. Ross, Concord, N. C.; O. E. Buchholz, Atlanta, Ga.; T. Mann, Davidson, N. C.; E. Emory, Washington, University of Virginia; J. L. Latham, Shreveport, La.; Charles L. Wicker, Roberdel, N. C.; Stanley White, Houston, Texas; D. A. McNeill, Red Springs, N. C.; J. H. Carter, Mount Airy, N. C.; W. McC. Miller, Jr., Ingleside, Ga.; Thomas P. Allen, Knoxville Tenn.; Frank Flint, Bowden, W. Va.; Frank C. Brown, Romney, W. Va.; C. H. Storey, Houston, Texas; E. J. Hertwig, Macon, Ga.; S. E. Paxson, Fostus, Mo.; Roy Smith, Plumtree, N. C.; J. F. Menzies, Salisbury, N. C.; A. C. McKinnon, Batesville, Ark.; Drury L. Jones, Montgomery, W. Va.; T. K. Currie, Davidson, N. C.; R. L. Riddle, Whitfield Depot, Va.; J. C. Hines, Pollockville, N. C.; W. A. Benfield, Derita, N. C.; T. W. Simpson, Hones Path, S. C.; T. H. Wix, Emmitt, Tenn.

"MOTHER" FAILS TO RECOGNIZE "SON"

"Kimmel" Pleads That She Disown Him No Longer.

STRANGE CASE DIVIDES TOWN

Many Accept Returned Convict as Man Believed Dead—Others Brand Him as Imposter.

Niles, Mich., September 20.—Niles' strange controversy over the identity of "George A. Kimmel," who reported himself to be a man long supposed to be dead, was further complicated to-day. While scores of persons positively identified him as the son for whose supposed death thirteen years ago Mrs. Estella Kimmel received \$5,000 in life insurance, an equal number were as positive that he was not her son. Then Mrs. Kimmel, seventy years old, who asserted that the man is impersonating her son merely to deprive her of the money she already has received and to prevent the payment of \$25,000 more in insurance, scrutinized the man who claims her as mother.

Brought face to face with the woman, the "Kimmel" just released from a five-year term in the Auburn, N. Y., prison, stretched out his arms and said pleadingly: "Mother, don't you know your boy? Don't disown me any longer. You know I am your son."

Mrs. Kimmel, withdrawing from the man as he attempted to embrace her, stood sternly scanning his face.

"No," she said, "I don't see in you any positive resemblance to my son. The meeting took place at the home of Mrs. Harry L. Fox, who already has accepted Kimmel as a cousin, and positively identified him as the son of Mrs. Kimmel."

Has No Direct Interest. It was made known that Mrs. Kimmel has no direct interest in any money which the insurance companies refuse to pay on the ground that the son still is living, but that a \$5,000 policy is held by a daughter, Mrs. Edna Kimmel Bonelett, and another \$5,000 policy is held by a distant relative.

"I would have no selfish motive in denying the identity of my son if he were alive," said Mrs. Kimmel. "For years I have felt sure he was dead, and I cannot believe that this man is he. It seems that some motherly instinct ought to tell me the truth, yet when I look at him I do not recognize him. He only puzzles me. It has almost prostrated me to look upon this strange man and have people insist that he is my son. If I were sure he was my son, I would have no objection to his coming to my home."

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Miss R.: You will find the following lotion a splendid skin-whitener and complexion beautifier: Dissolve four ounces of spumax in a half pint hot water, then add two teaspoonfuls glycerine. This not only takes the place of a face powder, but you will find it far better in every respect. It does not cause dandruff and other scalp troubles. When your hair needs washing, use for your shampoo a teaspoonful of canthox dissolved in a cup of hot water. This makes a rich lather that cleanses perfectly and will leave your hair brighter, cleaner and fluffier than ever before. This shampoo rinses easily, dries quickly, and does not irritate. It will not make the hair straggly and brittle like soap does. If you will use this shampoo, I am sure you will be so pleased that you will never care to try any other.

W. E. S.: To make your eyes clear, bright, and show the sparkle of health, dissolve an ounce of crystals in a pint of water and put a few drops in each eye twice daily. A soothing tonic is very strengthening to weak, tired eyes.

God knows I would be glad to take him in my arms."

Mrs. Kimmel will have another talk with the man to-morrow.

"Kimmel," on looking at the woman, said he was positive she was his mother.

"I wanted to take her in my arms," said he, "for she looked the same as years ago. I love her with all my heart, and cannot understand why she should insist that I am not her son. I will not worry her, and if she continues to disbelieve me, it shall be as she wishes. But I know I am Kimmel for I recognize every one."

To test his acquaintance with Niles, "Kimmel" later was escorted about the streets. He repeatedly pointed out the landmarks and related former incidents which the townspeople said were correct. Nodding to people, he called them by their full names, but many of the pressed not to recognize him as the real Kimmel.

"Now, to prove I am familiar with the town," said Kimmel, "I will tell you that behind that hill there is a big red brick house, on the south side of which is a large elm tree from which we used to swing when boys."

Opinions Conflicting. Every one declared the statement was correct. Meantime, scores of people who went to the Fox home to identify Kimmel came away with conflicting opinions. Some of the reasons given for opposing the belief that it was Mrs. Kimmel's son were:

Henry Dean, druggist—Because he remembers that Kimmel when young had brown eyes, whereas the present claimant has light gray eyes.

Dr. F. M. Bonine—Because he performed an operation on Kimmel's eye which left a scar that could not have been eradicated, whereas the new "Kimmel" has no such scar.

George Emory, Chief of Police of Niles—Because he knew the real Kimmel from boyhood up to the time of his disappearance, and this man has no physical resemblance to the former; is positive he is not the man.

Among those who claim the man is Kimmel are Joseph Wilson, bank manager of the Niles First National Bank—Because "Kimmel" on first seeing him shouted, "Hello, Joe." He recognized "Kimmel" as a former employee of the bank.

Dr. J. F. Brown—Because he found on the left wrist of the newcomer tattooed the initials "G. A. K."

Joseph Hatcher—Because "Kimmel" recalled vividly the drowning of a boy in a lake near Niles fourteen years ago.

Samuel Quimby—Because "Kimmel" could tell him in detail of what happened at a lodge meeting more than fifteen years ago.

Sure He's Not Kimmel. Kansas City, Mo., September 20.—The Andrew J. White, of Auburn, N. Y., Mattawan, and Niles, Mich., is not George A. Kimmel, according to A. J. Hunt, of Arkansas City, Kan., who knew Kimmel many years. Mr. Hunt is in the grain business, and arrived in Kansas City to-day.

"I first knew Kimmel in Omaha," Mr. Hunt said. "We were next door neighbors three years, and then Kimmel lived at my house for one year, when he went to Arkansas City to become cashier of the Farmers' State Bank. In Arkansas City Kimmel built a grain elevator and sent for me to come and take charge of it. As every one knows, Kimmel disappeared from Kansas City in 1895."

"In February, 1907, while in New York, my wife and I heard that one inmate of the Mattawan Asylum said he was Kimmel. We went to see this man. He recognized me, and we talked, and he looked nothing like the real Kimmel."

"Last June, A. H. Denton, president of the Home National Bank at Arkansas City, who knew Kimmel well, Mrs. Denton, my wife and I went to Auburn, where the man who pretended to be Kimmel had been taken from Mattawan. Again we saw this man White, and all of us made positive statements that he was not Kimmel."

Kimmel disappeared from here in August, 1895. After obtaining \$500 sent here to him from Arkansas City, Kan., for a clerk at a local hotel, the banker entered a cab with a friend, and was driven away. The story of "White" is that he was drugged after he had entered the cab, taken to St. Louis and held a prisoner by three men. He finally escaped his captors, he says, and went to Detroit. He was arrested on a charge of forgery in Buffalo in the fall of 1898, and later adjudged insane.

Shortly after his release from the asylum in 1905, he appeared in New York and protested the claim of Kimmel's relatives to life insurance the banker carried.

Leg Cut Off by Train. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Tazewell, Va., September 20.—A. W. Brooks, said to be an employee of the Bluefield machine shops, was seriously

inflamed eyes, and will make your eyes clear and beautiful. For sore, granulated lids it is splendid and greatly helps those who wear glasses.

Mrs. D. J.: You need a good, strengthening, blackening, liver regulator, to purify your blood and build up your health. Take before each meal a tablespoonful of the following: Dissolve a half cup sugar and one ounce karoene in a half pint alcohol, and add hot water to make a full quart. This home-made tonic will clear up a sallow, pimply complexion quickly, and as a liver regulator, it is simply splendid. It makes the best home medicine imaginable, and does wonders in restoring lost appetite, energy and general good health.

Veta S.: To clear your complexion and make it smooth, soft and satiny, use the following cream-jelly: Mix together one ounce of almond oil, two teaspoonfuls glycerine and a half pint cold water. Stir and let stand a few hours before using. This greaseless cream-jelly is the finest thing you can get for reducing those large pores below your eyes and clearing up your complexion. It removes all pimples, and when used with a skin cream, lifts out hollow cheeks and removes wrinkles readily.

Ellie T.: Really, you have no just cause to worry on account of those superfluous hairs, because with a little delicate and water you can make a paste, which, applied to the offensive hairs, and left two or three minutes, then rubbed off, will remove every trace of hair. Get an ounce of delatone and use as I suggest, washing the skin after removing the delatone, and you will be delighted with results. Delatone costs a dollar an ounce, but is worth every cent, as it is unfailing.

Mae W.: I do not approve of dieting and exercising for fat reduction. The simplest and best way is to get four ounces of parafin from any drug store and dissolve it in a pint of alcohol of hot water. Take a tablespoonful before each meal, and to your great satisfaction, you will soon notice your fat disappearing. This harmless remedy will not leave your skin wrinkled and baby, and has the endorsement of thousands who have tried it.

Injured by falling from a freight train at North Tazewell this morning, as the train stopped at Tazewell he alighted, attempted to board the train when it started, when his hold slipped, and he was thrown under the train and his right leg cut off just above the knee. Brooks is in the hospital here, and is resting well to-night.

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